

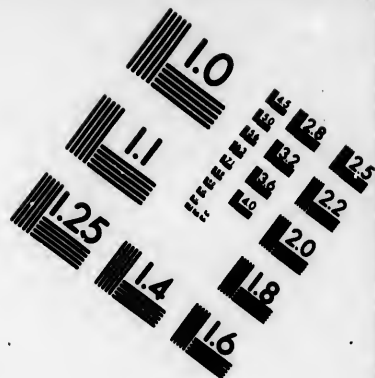
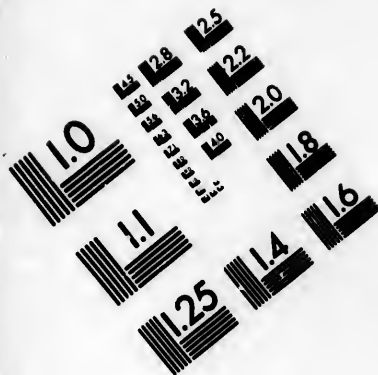
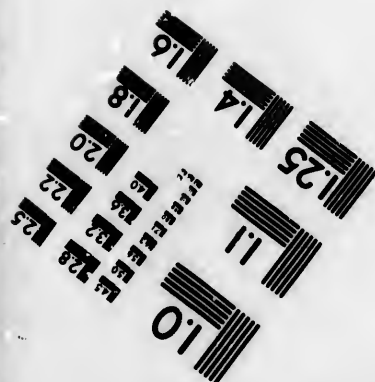
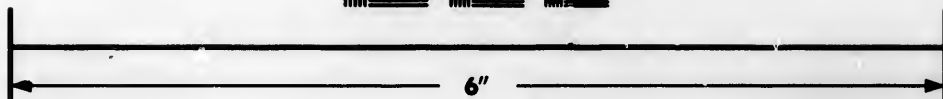
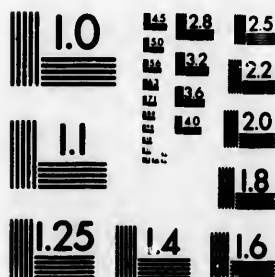


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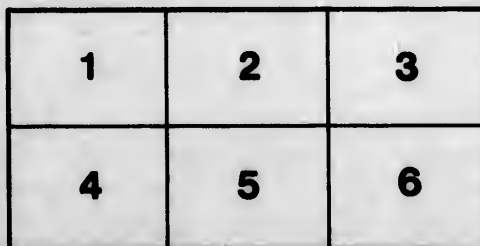
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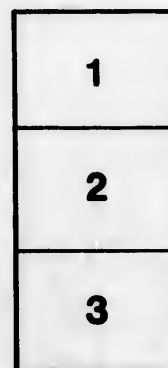
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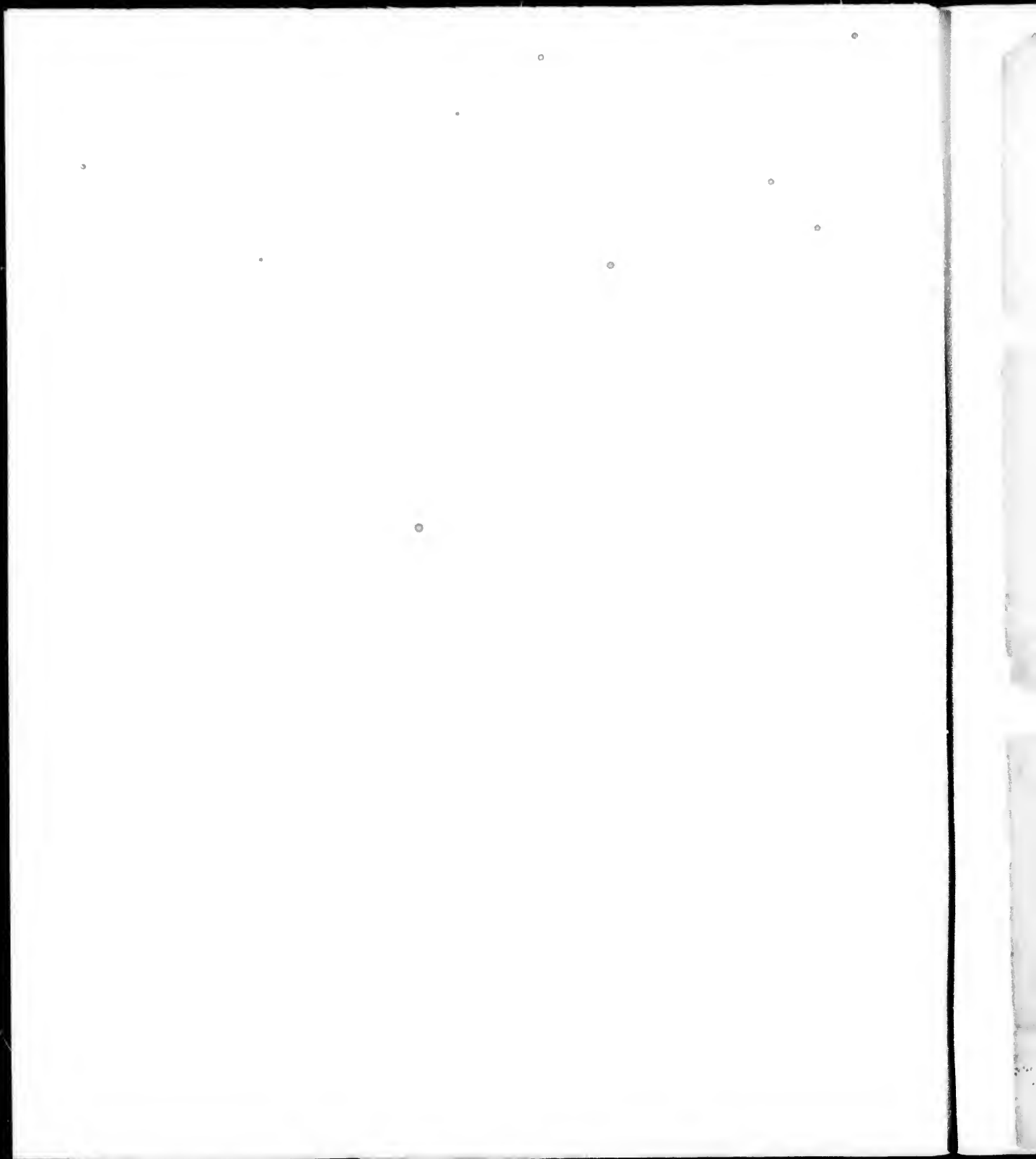
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RESOLUTIONS unanimously adopted at a Meeting of the principal Inhabitants of St. John's, convened at Government-House, by His Excellency Sir JOHN HARVEY, on Wednesday 10th June. 1845

1st.—RESOLVED, That this meeting are deeply impressed with the awful visitation which yesterday befel the City of St. John's, by which nearly Two Thousand Houses, embracing the whole of the Mercantile establishments, (with but one exception,) have been reduced to ashes, and nearly Twelve Thousand individuals deprived of a home.

2nd.—RESOLVED, That it is necessary, in order to guard against that distress which an exposure to the weather, and an improvident use of the small quantity of provisions that have with extreme difficulty been saved, may occasion, that a Committee should be appointed, under whose management, in co-operation with His Excellency Sir JOHN HARVEY, relief may be afforded to those who are destitute, and means taken to guard against imposition.

3rd.—RESOLVED, That the Committee above mentioned do consist of the following persons, three of whom shall form a quorum.

A Clergyman of each Religious denomination.

Hon. William Thomas, Hon. L. O'Brien, Hon. Charles Bennett, Hon. John Kent, Lieut.-Colonel Law, Major Robe, Major Wright, Assistant-Commissary-General Weir, Nicholas Mudge, Thomas Job, Robert Prowse, J. B. Bulley, John O'Mara, James Clift, N. Stabb, Thomas Glen, R. Howley, James Hutton, George T. Brooking, H. Bowring, Esquires.

4th.—RESOLVED, That this meeting are aware that the well-established credit and stability of the Trade of St. John's, coupled with the natural and inexhaustible resources of its Fisheries, will speedily enable it to resume its usual current, but that in the mean time it is necessary that publicity should be given to the demand for provisions and building materials which at present exists in this market.

5th.—RESOLVED, That this meeting have learned with great satisfaction that His Excellency has issued a Proclamation convening a meeting of the Legislature for the 16th instant, and they are assured that such remedial measures will then be submitted to that Body as will tend to the partial relief of present suffering, and the permanent improvement and increased security of the Capital of this Island.

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